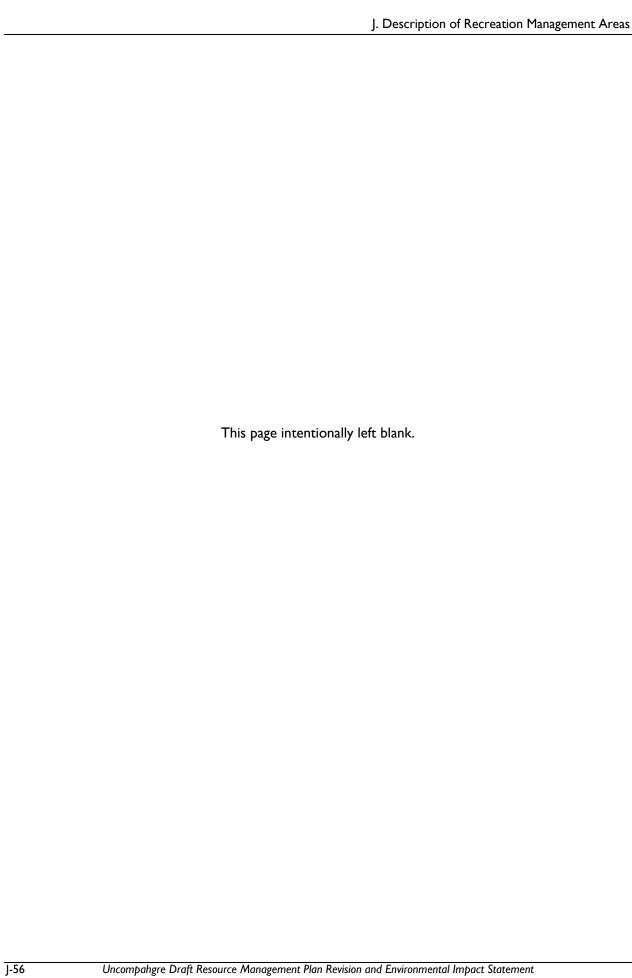


Figure J-8: Recreation Management Zones (RMZ) of Ridgway Trails SRMA



RIDGWAY TRAILS SPECIAL RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Refer to **Figure J-8**, Ridgway Trails SRMA.

Ridgway Trails Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ I

Objective: Manage Zone I for visitors of all abilities to engage in nonmotorized and educational activities including disabled accessible trails so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

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Ridgway Trails Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ I

Objective: Manage Zone I for visitors of all abilities to engage in nonmotorized and educational activities including disabled accessible trails so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I=not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
SRPs		Prohibit competitive events.		Allow nonmotorized competitive events at the discretion of the Authorized Officer. Prohibit motorized competitive events.
Group Size		Standard (refer to Recreation section of Chapter 2, Alternatives).		Same as Alternative B.
Travel Management		Closed to motorized travel; mechanized travel limited to designated routes. Administrative and permitted vehicular access would be limited to authorized routes.		Same as Alternative B.
Forestry		Not available for private and/or commercial use of woodland products (including on-site collection of dead and downed wood) unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Same as Alternative B.
Target Shooting		Prohibit.		Same as Alternative B.

Ridgway Trails Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 2

Objective: Manage Zone 2 for visitors to engage in stacked loop nonmotorized trail activities including challenging natural surfaced disabled accessible trails so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

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Ridgway Trails Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 2

Objective: Manage Zone 2 for visitors to engage in stacked loop nonmotorized trail activities including challenging natural surfaced disabled accessible trails so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

		Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Forestr	ry		Available for private and/or commercial use of woodland products (including onsite collection of dead and downed wood for campfires) unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Same as Alternative B.
Target	: Shooting		Prohibit.		Same as Alternative B.

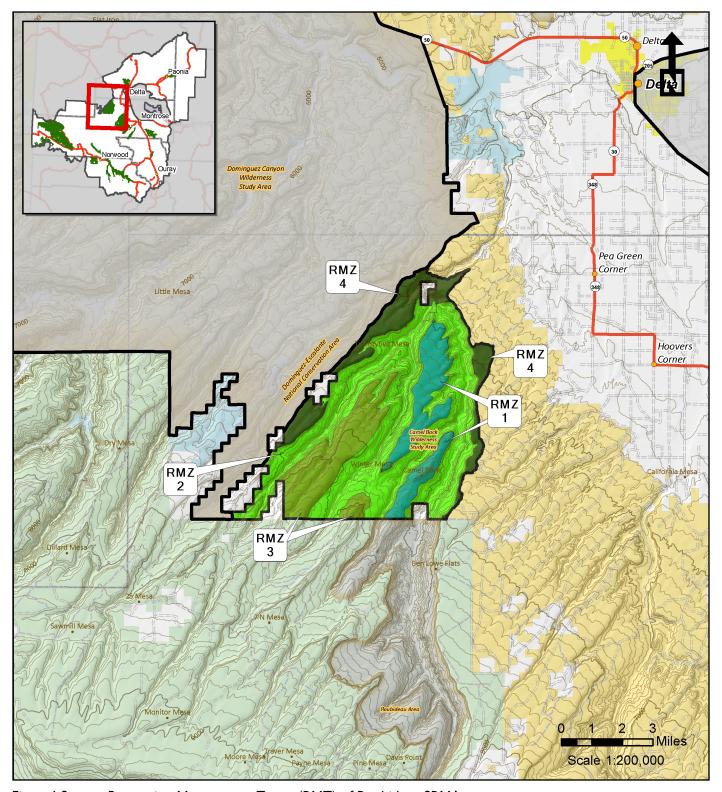
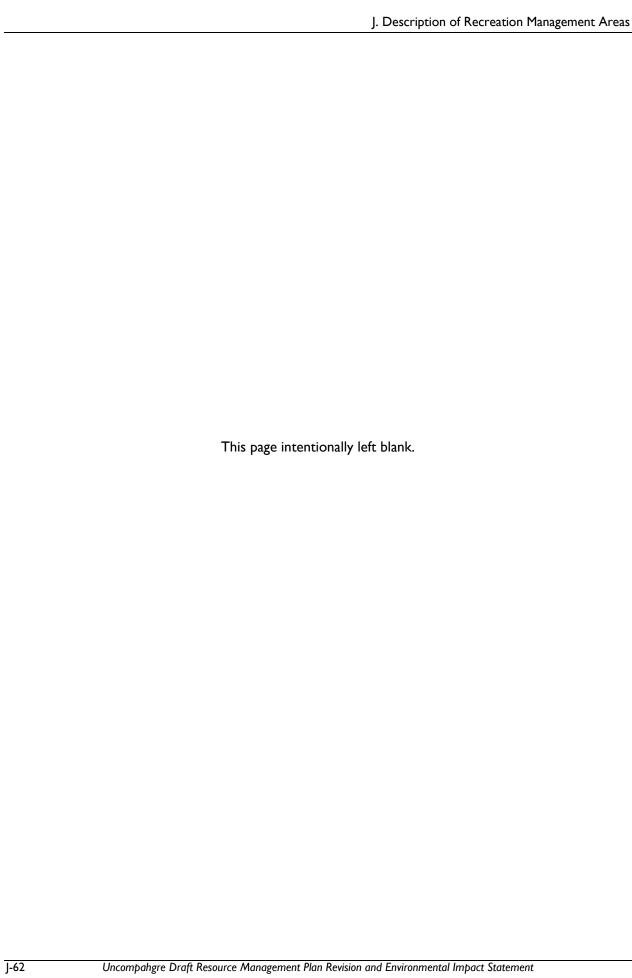


Figure J-9: Recreation Management Zones (RMZ) of Roubideau SRMA



ROUBIDEAU SPECIAL RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Refer to Figure J-9, Roubideau SRMA.

Roubideau Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ I

Objective: Manage Zone I for visitors to engage in nonmotorized/nonmechanized backcountry activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

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Roubideau Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ I

Objective: Manage Zone I for visitors to engage in nonmotorized/nonmechanized backcountry activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
SRPs		Prohibit competitive events.		Prohibit motorized competitive events. Allow nonmotorized competitive events at the discretion of the Authorized Officer.
Group Size		Standard (refer to Recreation section of Chapter 2, Alternatives).		Same as Alternative B.
Travel Management		Closed to motorized and mechanized travel, except for administrative and permitted vehicular access which would be limited to authorized routes.		Same as Alternative B.
Forestry		Not available for private and/or commercial use of woodland products. On-site collection of dead and downed wood for campfires would be allowed unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Same as Alternative B.
Target Shooting		Prohibit.		No similar action.

Roubideau Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 2

Objective: Manage Zone 2 for visitors to engage in nonmotorized/nonmechanized canyon viewing activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

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Roubideau Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 2

Objective: Manage Zone 2 for visitors to engage in nonmotorized/nonmechanized canyon viewing activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
SRPs		Prohibit competitive events.		Prohibit motorized competitive events. Allow nonmotorized competitive events at the discretion of the Authorized Officer.
Group Size		Standard (refer to Recreation section of Chapter 2, Alternatives).		No more than 35 people/group.
Travel Management		Closed to motorized and mechanized travel, except for administrative and permitted vehicular access which would be limited to authorized routes.		Same as Alternative B.
Forestry		Not available for private and/or commercial use of woodland products unless monitoring indicates the need for a change. On-site collection of dead and downed wood for campfires would be allowed unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Same as Alternative B.
Target Shooting		Prohibit.		No similar action.

Roubideau Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 3

Objective: Manage Zone 3 for visitors to engage in quiet use nonmotorized recreational activities with the exception of a few existing motorized trails so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

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Roubideau Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 4

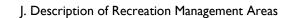
Objective: Manage Zone 4 for visitors to engage in canyon overlook activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

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Roubideau Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 4

Objective: Manage Zone 4 for visitors to engage in canyon overlook activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Travel Management		Motorized and mechanized travel		Same as Alternative B.
		limited to designated routes.		
Forestry		Prohibit commercial forest product		Available for private and/or commercial
		harvest. Permit private forest product		use of woodland products (including on-
		harvest and wood unless monitoring		site collection of dead and downed
		indicates the need for a change.		wood for campfires) unless monitoring
				indicates the need for a change.
Target Shooting		Prohibit.		Same as Alternative B.



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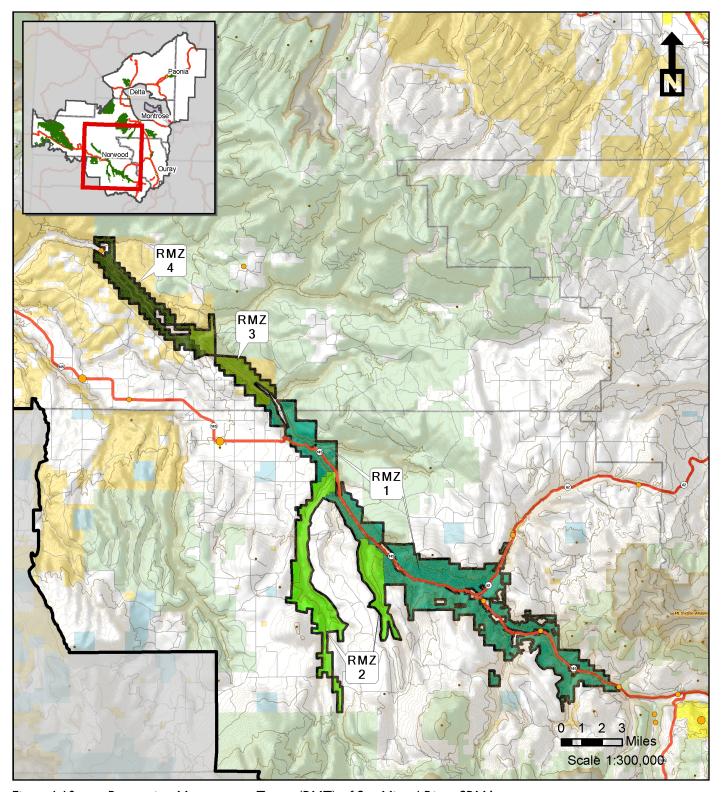


Figure J-10: Recreation Management Zones (RMZ) of San Miguel River SRMA



SAN MIGUEL RIVER SPECIAL RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Refer to Figure J-10, San Miguel River SRMA.

San Miguel River Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ I

Objective: Manage Zone I for visitors to engage in motorized and nonmotorized scenic touring and nonmotorized water-based activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative	Alternative D
Targeted Activities	Managa 20 FFO agrees of public land	Define leveling fishing hiling	С	Same as Alternative B.
Targeted Activities	Manage 20,550 acres of public land along the San Miguel River from	Rafting, kayaking, fishing, hiking, mountain biking, camping,		Same as Alternative b.
	Deep Creek to Pinon as an SRMA for	nonmotorized trail use, educational		
	quality recreational boating and	programs, and scenic driving.		
Targeted Experiences	fishing experiences and opportunities	Developing your skills and abilities;		Same as Alternative B.
	while protecting the San Miguel River	seeking solitude; seeking challenge		
	ACEC riparian and scenic values of the San Miguel River Canyon and its	and adventure; socializing with friends and family; learning more		
	tributaries (BLM 1993).	about things here; enjoying having		
	,	access to hands-on environmental		
		learning; enjoying having easy access		
		to natural landscapes; enjoying		
		extensive open space; enjoying		
		outdoor exercise; enjoying having a wide variety of environments within		
		a single park or recreation area;		
		enjoying being able to frequently		
		participate in desired activities in the		
		settings I like; releasing or reducing		
		some built-up mental tensions; and escaping urban environments.		
Targeted Benefits		Restored mind from unwanted		Same as Alternative B.
,		stress; improved mental well-being;		
		improved skills for outdoor		
		enjoyment; improved outdoor		
		knowledge and self-confidence; improved outdoor recreation skills;		
		greater sensitivity to/awareness of		
		outdoor aesthetics; greater		
		sensitivity to/respect for other		
		visitors; enhanced awareness and		
		understanding of nature; greater environmental awareness and		
		sensitivity; enlarged sense of		
		personal accountability for acting		
		responsibly on public lands; closer		
		relationship with the natural world;		
		a more outdoor-oriented lifestyle; greater sense of adventure;		
		improved appreciation of nature's		
		splendor; greater personal		
		enrichment through involvement		
		with other people; greater cultivation of natural resource		
		stewardship ethic; increased		
		appreciation of area's cultural		
		history; greater respect for private		
		property and local lifestyles; an		
		improved stewardship ethic towards adjoining/ host communities;		
		improved understanding of this/our		
		community's dependence and impact		
		on public lands; improved physical		
		fitness and health maintenance; reduced demands on local health		
		care system; greater opportunity for		
		people with different skills to		
		exercise in the same place;		
		improved community integration;		
		improved group cooperation; strengthened family relationships;		
		enhanced lifestyle; enlarged sense of		
		community dependency on public		
		lands; improved local economic		
		stability; more positive contributions		
		to local-regional economy; increased local tax revenue from visitors;		
		increased local tourism revenue;		
		increased desirability as a place to		
		live or retire; increased awareness		
		and protection of natural landscapes; greater retention of distinctive		
		natural landscape features;		
		sustainability of community's cultural		
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San Miguel River Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ I

Objective: Manage Zone I for visitors to engage in motorized and nonmotorized scenic touring and nonmotorized water-based activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

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Coa	Minerals	No similar action in current RMPs.	Closed to leasing (NL-15: Recreation									ernativ		٨٥	
	table Minerals	No similar action in current RMPs. No similar action in current RMPs.	SRMA			`						action.	n skivi	AS	
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Min	eral Materials	Within the San Miguel River SRMA, close to mineral material disposal to protect scenic, recreational, and biological values (BLM 1993).		ed to n			ials dis	sposal.		Close the portion that overlaps the San Miguel ACEC (11,230 acres) to mineral material disposal.					
	energy Solid	No similar action in current RMPs.	Close	ed to le	easing.					Same	as Alt	ernativ	e B.		
	able Minerals ity Development	No similar action in current RMPs.		v facilit A objed		needed	to m	eet		Same	as Alt	ernativ	re B.		
Carr	ping Restrictions	Manage Beaver and Specie Creek developed recreation sites as day use sites. A fourteen day camping limit will be enforced in the ACEC. This limit is further defined as: Fourteen days	Mana sites exce Cado Allow camp	age all of as day ption of dis Flats v camp osites. U	developuse situates. Situates. Situates. Jing onl	es with er Beav ly in de fire pai	the er and esignat ns and	d ed		Manage Beaver, Deep Creek, Placerville, and Specie Creek developed recreation sites as dause sites. Allow camping only in designate campsites. Use of fire pans and portable toilets mandatory alon					ed
		maximum in one location anywhere in the SRMA. A thirty day period must pass before camping anywhere else within the SRMA (BLM 1993).	river	able toi corrid	or.			ng the			corrid	or unle			
		cise within the six w (SETT 1773).	Mitigate, restrict, or eliminate camping if monitoring shows adverse impacts to natural resources.							camp	ing if n	strict, on monito pacts to	ring sh	ows	
			In developed campsites, allow campfires only with fire grates, stoves, grills or fire pans.							camp	fires o	d camp nly wit s or fir	h fire g	grates,	
			Limit camping in the SRMA to 7 days, 6 nights maximum within a 30 day period.						conse locati reach retur days a out o	ecutive ion; aft ied, pr ning to and/or if the S		t any of the car ocation	has be nper fr n for 3 n to m	een rom 0 ove	
SRP:		No similar action in current RMPs.	Ps. Prohibit competitive events. Above Norwood Bridge: Allow 7						event	s at th	notoriz ie discr Office	etion	•	ve	
			commercial river outfitters with up to 2 launches/day/outfitter.								o 15 co Numbe				

San Miguel River Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ I

Objective: Manage Zone I for visitors to engage in motorized and nonmotorized scenic touring and nonmotorized water-based activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
		Below Norwood Bridge: Allow 5 commercial river outfitters. Total commercial launches would be limited to 2 launches per day.		boating launches/day/site may be limited to meet area objectives and at the discretion of the Authorized Officer.
		Do no regulate private users unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Do no regulate private users unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.
Group Size	No similar action in current RMPs.	Standard (refer to Recreation section of Chapter 2, Alternatives).		Same as Alternative B.
Travel Management	Primitive nonmotorized recreation (BLM 1993).	Motorized and mechanized travel limited to designated routes.		Same as Alternative B.
Forestry	Management Guidance for Area L1: San Miguel ACEC – With the exception of three forest management areas designated in the San Juan/San Miguel RMP, the San Miguel ACEC is closed to forest product disposal, unless the criteria of improving riparian values and maintaining forest health are met. Management Guidance for Area C1: Emphasis on Recreation – Riparian zones are closed to forest product disposal. Outside the riparian zone, disposal may occur if completed in a manner that preserves the scenic values of the area. (BLM 1993)	Prohibit forest product harvest (commercial and private). Allow onsite collection of dead and downed wood for campfires unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Same as Alternative B.
Target Shooting	No similar action in current RMPs.	Prohibit.		Same as Alternative B.

San Miguel River Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 2

Objective: Manage Zone 2 for visitors to engage in nonmotorized/nonmechanized canyon exploring with the exception of a few motorized routes so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

		Alternative A	Alternative B					Alternative		ļ	Altern	ative [)		
Targ	geted Activities	Manage 8,350 acres of public land	Back	countr	y hikin	g and b	ackpad	king	С	Same	as Alt	ernativ	e B.		
,	geted Experiences	along the San Miguel River from Deep Creek to Pinyon as an SRMA	and f	ishing. ving go	ing exp	loring;	being			Same	as Alt	ernativ	e B.		
	for quality recreational boating and fishing experiences and opportunities while protecting the ACEC riparian and scenic values of the San Miguel River Canyon and its tributaries (BLM 1993).				smell scape; ed physeryday feeling joying people; chere; ot goir eeling purces ged. hysical e; impr joymer owledg greate ss of o se of a precia eatures by rec tectior abitat f nt, and reased	sensor experience of life; a cultivate teward of life; a c	ysightence of a gettiercise; assibilities a pe from a pe from a mount of a	f a ing es m this coo ow are ealth r etics; e's thic; ife,		Same as Alternative B.					
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Loca	atable Minerals	No similar action in current RMPs.	Recommend to the Secretary of Interior for withdrawal from locatable mineral entry.				f the		No s	imilar :	action.				
Min	eral Materials	Close the San Miguel River SRMA to mineral material disposal to protect scenic, recreational, and biological values (BLM 1993).	Closed to mineral material disp				osal.		Same	as Alt	ernativ	e B.			
	energy Solid Sable Minerals	No similar action.	Close	ed to le	easing.					Same	as Alt	ernativ	e B.		
	lity Development	No similar action in current RMPs.	v facilit A obje		s needed to meet				Same as Alternative B.						

San Miguel River Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 2

Objective: Manage Zone 2 for visitors to engage in nonmotorized/nonmechanized canyon exploring with the exception of a few motorized routes so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative	Alternative D
Camping Restrictions	A fourteen day camping limit will be enforced in the ACEC. This limit is further defined as: Fourteen days maximum in one location anywhere in the SRMA. A thirty day period must pass before camping anywhere else within the SRMA (BLM 1993).	Camping only allowed in designated campsites. Use of fire pans and portable toilets mandatory along the river corridor. Mitigate, restrict, or eliminate camping if monitoring shows adverse impacts to natural resources. In developed campsites, campfires allowed only with fire grates, stoves, grills or fire pans. Limit camping in the SRMA to 7	C	Camping only allowed in designated campsites. Use of fire pans and portable toilets mandatory along the river corridor unless toilet is provided. Mitigate, restrict, or eliminate camping if monitoring shows adverse impacts to natural resources. In developed campsites, campfires allowed only with fire grates, stoves, grills or fire pans.
		days, 6 nights maximum within a 30 day period.		Limit camping to no longer than 7 consecutive days at any one location; after the 7 days has been reached, prohibit the camper from returning to that location for 30 days and/or require them to move out of the SRMA.
SRPs	No similar action in current RMPs.	Prohibit competitive events. Above Norwood Bridge: Allow 7 commercial river outfitters with up to 2 launches a day/outfitter. Do no regulate private users unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Prohibit competitive events. Continue to allow commercial walkwade fishing. Do no regulate private users unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.
Group Size	No similar action in current RMPs.	Standard (refer to Recreation section of Chapter 2, Alternatives).		Same as Alternative B.
Travel Management	Primitive nonmotorized recreation (BLM 1993).	Closed to motorized and mechanized travel, except for administrative and permitted vehicular access which would be limited to authorized routes.		Manage Saltado Canyon as closed to motorized and mechanized travel, except administrative and permitted vehicular access which would be limited to authorized routes. In the remainder of the RMZ, limit
				motorized and mechanized travel to designated routes.
Forestry	No similar action in current RMPs.	Prohibit forest product harvest. Allow on-site collection of dead and downed wood for campfires unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Not available for commercial/private use of woodland products (including on-site collection of dead and downed wood for campfires) unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.
Target Shooting	No similar action in current RMPs.	Prohibit.		Same as Alternative B.

San Miguel River Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 3

Objective: Manage Zone 3 for visitors to engage in nonmotorized/nonmechanized remote river canyon viewing activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

		Alternative A	Alternative B					Alternative		I	Altern	ative I			
Targ	geted Activities	Manage 2,920 acres of public land	Hikir	ng, back	kpackir	ıg, rafti	ng,		С	Same	e as Alt	ernativ	e B.		
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Righ	ts-of-Way	No similar action in current RMPs.	ROV	V avoid	lance.					Same	as Alt	ernativ	e B.		
Coal Fluid	l Minerals	No similar action in current RMPs. No similar action in current RMPs.		ed to lo ed to lo As).		(NL-15	: Recre	eation			e as Alt 9-56: Re		re B. n SRMA	ls	
Loca	itable Minerals	No similar action in current RMPs.	Reco Inter	mmen ior for	withd	awal fr	,	of the		No s	imilar a	action.			
Mino	eral Materials	Within the San Miguel River SRMA, close to mineral material disposal to protect scenic, recreational, and biological values. (BLM 1993)	locatable mineral entry. Closed to mineral material disposal.						Same	e as Alt	ernativ	e B.			
	energy Solid able Minerals	No similar action in current RMPs.	Clos	ed to l	easing.					Same	as Alt	ernativ	e B.		
	lity Development	No similar action in current RMPs.	Allow as needed to meet SRMA objectives.							Same	e as Alt	ernativ	e B.		

San Miguel River Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 3

Objective: Manage Zone 3 for visitors to engage in nonmotorized/nonmechanized remote river canyon viewing activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Camping Restrictions	Enforce a 14 day camping limit in the SRMA. This limit is further defined as: Fourteen days maximum in one location anywhere in the SRMA. A thirty day period must pass before camping anywhere else within the SRMA (BLM 1993).	Camping only allowed in designated campsites. Use of fire pans and portable toilets mandatory along the river corridor. Mitigate, restrict, or eliminate camping if monitoring shows adverse impacts to natural resources. In developed campsites, campfires allowed only with fire grates, stoves, grills or fire pans. Limit camping in the SRMA to 7 days, 6 nights maximum within a 30 day period.		Camping only allowed in designated campsites. Use of fire pans and portable toilets mandatory along the river corridor unless toilet is provided. Mitigate, restrict, or eliminate camping if monitoring shows adverse impacts to natural resources. In developed campsites, campfires allowed only with fire grates, stoves, grills or fire pans. Limit camping to no longer than 7 consecutive days at any one location; after the 7 days has been reached, prohibit the camper from returning to that location for 30 days and/or require them to move
SRPs	No similar action in current RMPs.	Dunkikis namasisina massa		out of the SRMA.
SATS	TNO SITURAL ACTION III CUITERIC KITES.	Prohibit competitive events. Above Norwood Bridge, allow seven commercial river outfitters with up to two launches per day per outfitter. Below Norwood Bridge, allow five commercial river outfitters with up to two launches per day. Do not regulate private users unless monitoring indicates the need for a		Allow two commercial boating launches per day through Norwood Canyon with maximum group size of 16, including guides. Do not regulate private users unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.
Group Size	No similar action in current RMPs.	change. Standard (refer to Recreation		Same as Alternative B.
Travel Management	Primitive nonmotorized recreation.	section of Chapter 2, Alternatives). Closed to motorized and mechanized travel, except for administrative and permitted vehicular access which would be limited to authorized routes.		Same as Alternative B.
Forestry	Management Guidance for Area L1: San Miguel ACEC — With the exception of three forest management areas designated in the San Juan/San Miguel RMP, the San Miguel ACEC is closed to forest product disposal, unless the criteria of improving riparian values and maintaining forest health are met. Management Guidance for Area C1: Emphasis on Recreation — Riparian zones are closed to forest product disposal. Outside the riparian zone, disposal may occur if completed in a manner that preserves the scenic values of the area.	Prohibit forest product harvest (commercial and private) and wood collecting.		Prohibit forest product harvest (commercial and private). Allow onsite collection of dead and downed wood for campfires unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.
Target Shooting	No similar action in current RMPs.	Prohibit.		Same as Alternative B.

San Miguel River Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 4

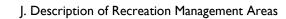
Objective: Manage Zone 4 for visitors to engage in scenic viewing through camping and nonmotorized water-based activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

	Alternative A		ļ	Altern	ative I	3		Alternative C			Aite	rna	tive I	D	
Targeted Activities	Manage 3,760 acres of public land				ishing,		ng,		Same	e as Alı	terna	ative	e B.		
Targeted Experiences	along the San Miguel River from Deep Creek to Pinyon as an SRMA for quality recreational boating and fishing experiences and opportunities, while protecting the ACEC riparian	Deve relish toget	loping ing gro hernes	your s oup affi ss; lear	ograms kills and liation ning mo	d abilitand ore ab	out		Same	e as Alt	terna	ıtive	<u>B</u> .		
Targeted Benefits	while protecting the ACEC riparian and scenic values of the San Miguel River Canyon and its tributaries (BLM 1993).	access enjoy physic to free activity enjoy physic some know appres with how enjoy lmpro enjoy know great outdo of peresponsimpro splen natur great and le physic mainter life; in stabil protes incres great steward natur of disfeature under under under the physic of the steward of the physic of the physi	is to nation get cal exercise in cal exercise in cal exercise in cal rescribed in cal fitter in cal	atural lating so carcise; ly partitions so carcise; ly partitions so carcise; ly partitions so carcise; release appears of carcinomental with a carcinomenta	ng haviandscaped and scaped and s	bes; beded g bein n desi like; beded reductions; here; beractions; here; beractions or dence; reness ged see reduction of ship e be projected in utility beating a listance reteins a limpro	g able ired cing just on about so of ense cting ser orld; yle; ser orld; perty of nd es; end and order or and order order or and order order or and order or and order order order or and order o		Samo	e as Ali	terna	ntive	₽ B.		
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San Miguel River Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 4

Objective: Manage Zone 4 for visitors to engage in scenic viewing through camping and nonmotorized water-based activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

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		VRM Class III. ROW avoidance.		Same as Alternative B.
Rights-of-Way	No similar action in current RMPs.			No similar action. Same as Alternative B.
Coal	No similar action in current RMPs.	Closed to leasing.		
Fluid Minerals	No similar action in current RMPs.	Closed to leasing (NL-15: Recreation SRMAs).		CSU-50: Recreation SRMAs.
Locatable Minerals	No similar action in current RMPs.	Recommend to the Secretary of the Interior for withdrawal from locatable mineral entry.		No similar action.
Mineral Materials	Within the San Miguel River SRMA,	Closed to mineral material disposal.		Same as Alternative B.
	close to mineral material disposal to protect scenic, recreational, and biological values.	·		
Nonenergy Solid Leasable Minerals	No similar action.	Closed to leasing.		Same as Alternative B.
Facility Development	No similar action in current RMPs.	Allow as needed to meet SRMA objectives.		Same as Alternative B.
Camping Restrictions	Enforce a 14 day camping limit in the ACEC. This limit is further defined as: Fourteen days maximum in one location anywhere in the SRMA. A thirty day period must pass before camping anywhere else within the SRMA.	Allow camping only in designated campsites. Use of fire pans and portable toilets mandatory along the river corridor. Mitigate, restrict, or eliminate camping if monitoring shows adverse impacts to natural resources. In developed campsites, campfires allowed only with fire grates, stoves, grills or fire pans. Limit camping in the SRMA to 7 days, 6 nights maximum within a 30		Camping only allowed in designated campsites. Use of fire pans and portable toilets mandatory along the river corridor unless toilet is provided. Mitigate, restrict, or eliminate camping if monitoring shows adverse impacts to natural resources. In developed campsites, campfires allowed only with fire grates, stoves, grills or fire pans. Limit camping to no longer than 7
SRPs	No similar action in current RMPs.	day period.		consecutive days at any one location; after the 7 days has been reached, prohibit the camper from returning to that location for 30 days and/or require them to move out of the SRMA. Permit nonmotorized competitive
SKPS	INO SIMILAR ACTION IN CURRENT KIMPS.	Prohibit competitive events. Above Norwood Bridge, allow seven commercial river outfitters with up to two launches/day/outfitter.		events at the discretion of the Authorized Officer. Allow up to seven commercial boating outfitters.
		Below Norwood Bridge, allow five commercial river outfitters with up to two launches/day. Do not regulate private users unless monitoring indicates the need for a		Do not regulate private users unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.
Group Size	No similar action in current RMPs.	change. Standard (refer to Recreation section of Chapter 2, Alternatives).		Same as Alternative B.
Travel Management	Primitive nonmotorized recreation (BLM 1993).	Motorized and mechanized travel limited to designated routes.		Same as Alternative B.
Forestry	Management Guidance for Area L1: San Miguel ACEC — With the exception of three forest management areas designated in the original San Juan/San Miguel RMP, the San Miguel ACEC is closed to forest product disposal, unless the criteria of improving riparian values and maintaining forest health are met. Management Guidance for Area C1: Emphasis on Recreation — Riparian zones are closed to forest product disposal. Outside the riparian zone, disposal may occur if completed in a manner that	Prohibit forest product harvest (commercial and private). Allow onsite collection of dead and downed wood for campfires unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Prohibit forest product harvest (commercial and private). Allow onsite collection of dead and downed wood for campfires unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.
Target Shooting	preserves the scenic values of the area. No similar action in current RMPs.	Prohibit.		Same as Alternative B.
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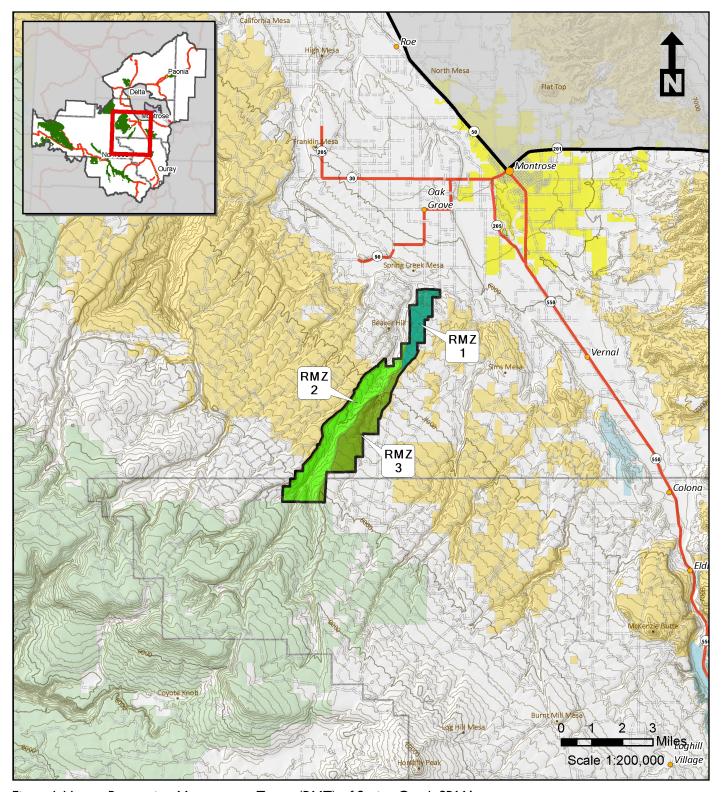
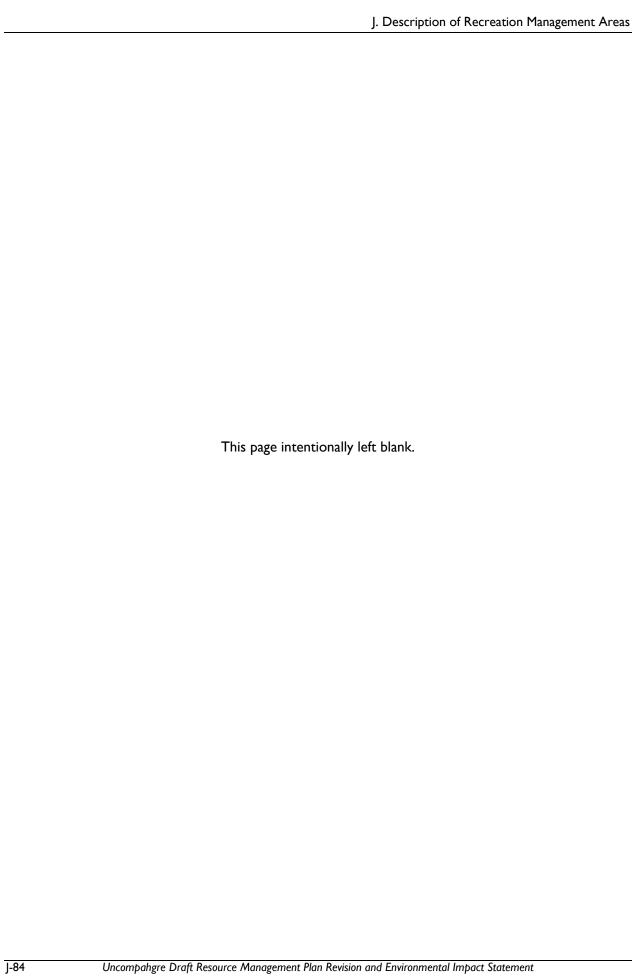


Figure J-11: Recreation Management Zones (RMZ) of Spring Creek SRMA



SPRING CREEK SPECIAL RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Refer to **Figure J-II**, Spring Creek SRMA.

Spring Creek Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ I

Objective: Manage Zone I for visitors to engage in nonmotorized single track stacked loop trail activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I=not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

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Spring Creek Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ I

Objective: Manage Zone I for visitors to engage in nonmotorized single track stacked loop trail activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I=not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Camping Restrictions		Day use area only.		Same as Alternative B.
SRPs		Prohibit competitive events.		Permit nonmotorized competitive
				events at the discretion of the
				Authorized Officer. Prohibit motorized
				competitive events.
Group Size		Standard (refer to Recreation section of		Same as Alternative B.
		Chapter 2, Alternatives).		
Travel Management		Closed to motorized travel; mechanized		Same as Alternative B.
		travel limited to designated routes.		
		Administrative and permitted vehicular		
		access would be limited to authorized		
		routes.		
Forestry		Prohibit forest product harvest		Same as Alternative B.
		(commercial and private) and wood		
		collecting unless monitoring indicates		
		the need for a change.		
Target Shooting		Prohibit.		Same as Alternative B.

Spring Creek Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 2

Objective: Manage Zone 2 for visitors to engage in canyon viewing through single track trail activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

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Spring Creek Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 2

Objective: Manage Zone 2 for visitors to engage in canyon viewing through single track trail activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5 = totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Travel Management		Closed to motorized travel; mechanized travel limited to designated routes. Administrative and permitted vehicular access would be limited to authorized routes.		Motorized and mechanized travel limited to designated routes.
Forestry		Prohibit forest product harvest (commercial and private) and wood collecting unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Prohibit forest product harvest (commercial and private). Allow on-site collection of dead and downed wood unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.
Target Shooting		Prohibit.		No similar action.

Spring Creek Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 3

Objective: Manage Zone 3 for visitors to engage in camping and scenic viewing through motorized and nonmotorized trail activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

		Alternative A	Alternative A Alternative B						Alternative C Alternative D							
Targeted Activities		OHV use, scenic viewing, and camping.								Same as Alternative B.						
Targeted Experiences			Enjoying having easy access to natural							Same as Alternative B.						
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Targeted Benefits			facilities are being managed. Improved mental well-being; improved							_						
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			of recreation and tourism to our													
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			private property and local lifestyles;													
			enhanced quality of life; improved local													
			economic stability; increased desirability as a place to live or retire; greater													
			community ownership and stewardship													
			of park, recreation, and natural												ļ	
			resources; improved respect for												ļ	
			privately-owned lands; and increased													
			awareness and protection of natural landscapes.													
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Fluid Minerals			NSO-56: Recreation SRMAs.							Same as Alternative B.						
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Mineral Materials			mineral entry.							No similar action.						
Nonenergy Solid			Closed to mineral material disposal. Closed to leasing.							Same as Alternative B.						
Leasable Minerals			Closed to leasing.							Jairie	as Aict	aci v (<i>-</i> .			
Facility Development			Allow facilities as needed to meet SRMA							Same	as Alte	ernative	В.			
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Camping Restrictions			Allow camping only in designated sites							Same as Alternative B.						
			and/or areas. Campfires allowed only													
			with fire grates, stoves, grills, or fire													
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JIM 3			Prohibit motorized competitive events. Allow up to three nonmotorized							Allow competitive events at the discretion of the Authorized Officer.						
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Spring Creek Special Recreation Management Area, RMZ 3

Objective: Manage Zone 3 for visitors to engage in camping and scenic viewing through motorized and nonmotorized trail activities so that they report an average 4.0 realization of the targeted experiences and benefit outcome stated in the following table. (4.0 on a probability scale where: I = not at all realized to 5=totally realized)

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Forestry		Prohibit forest product harvest (commercial and private) and wood collecting unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.		Prohibit commercial forest product harvest and wood collecting. Permit private forest product harvest and wood collecting unless monitoring indicates the need for a change.
Target Shooting		Prohibit.		Same as Alternative B.

ADOBE BADLANDS EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to participate in a variety of backcountry nonmotorized/nonmechanized recreation activities (e.g., hiking, horseback riding, hunting and camping).

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I) retains a low level of contrast between developments and the natural surrounding; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

BURN CANYON EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to provide a variety of quality sustainable motorized and nonmotorized trails (e.g., ATV and motorcycle riding, mountain biking, hiking).

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that 1) retains a natural-appearing landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads, staging areas, etc.) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

Burn Canyon Extensive Recreation Management Area

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Management Action	ns and Allowable Use Decisions			
VRM			VRM Class III	
Fluid Minerals			No similar action.	CSU-51: Recreation ERMAs

DOLORES RIVER CANYON EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to participate in a nonmotorized/nonmechanized trail and water-based activities (e.g., hiking, rafting, kayaking, and fishing)

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I) retains an undisturbed natural landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

DRY CREEK EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to provide a variety of established recreation activities (e.g., OHV riding, mountain biking, hiking, hunting, and scenic driving).

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I) retains a natural-appearing landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads, staging areas, camping, etc.) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

JUMBO MOUNTAIN EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to provide a variety of established recreation activities (e.g., OHV riding, mountain biking, hiking, hunting, etc.).

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I) retains a natural-appearing landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads, staging areas, camping, etc.) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

KINIKIN HILLS EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to provide a variety of motorized and nonmotorized trail activities (e.g., OHV riding, mountain biking, hiking, etc.).

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I) retains a natural-appearing landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads, staging areas, camping, etc.) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

Kinikin Hills Extensive Recreation Management Area

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D			
Management Action	Management Actions and Allowable Use Decisions						
VRM			No similar action (see Figure 2-6 [Appendix A] for underlying VRM Class).	VRM Class III			
Fluid Minerals			No similar action.	CSU-51: Recreation ERMAs			
Travel Management			Designate as Open to cross-country motorized and nonmotorized travel except for full-sized vehicles. Cross-country travel would only be permitted for utility terrain vehicles and ATVs 50 inches or less in width; motorcycles; and mountain bikes.	Limited motorized and mechanized travel to designated routes.			

NORTH DELTA OHV EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to provide a variety of established motorized and nonmotorized recreation activities (e.g., OHV riding, mountain biking, hiking, etc.).

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I) retains a natural-appearing landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads, staging areas, camping, etc.) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

North Delta OHV Extensive Recreation Management Area

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Management Action	ns and Allowable Use Decisions			
VRM Class			No similar action (see Figure see	VRM Class IV
			Figure 2-6 [Appendix A] for	
			underlying VRM Class).	
Fluid Minerals			No similar action.	CSU-51: Recreation ERMAs
Travel Management			Designate 5,260 acres (Open	Limit motorized and mechanized
			OHV area) as Open to cross-	to designated routes.
			country motorized and	
			nonmotorized travel (including	
			full-sized vehicles). Designate the	
			remaining area (3,270 acres) as	
			limited to designated routes for	
			motorized and nonmotorized	
			travel. If needed, limit hiking and	
			equestrian use to designate	
			routes.	

PARADOX VALLEY EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to provide a variety of established recreation activities (e.g., OHV riding, mountain biking, hiking, rock climbing and bouldering, rafting, scenic touring, hunting, etc.).

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I)retains a natural-appearing landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads, staging areas, camping, etc.) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

Paradox Valley Extensive Recreation Management Area

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Management Actions and Allowable Use Decisions				
VRM			Class III	No similar action.
Fluid Minerals			No similar action.	CSU-51: Recreation ERMAs

RIDGWAY TRAILS EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to provide a variety of established recreation activities (e.g., OHV riding, mountain biking, hiking, hunting, etc.).

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I) retains a natural-appearing landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads, staging areas, camping, etc.) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

Ridgway Trails Extensive Recreation Management Area

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D	
Management Actions and Allowable Use Decisions					
VRM Class			VRM Class III		

ROUBIDEAU EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to participate in a variety of backcountry recreation activities (e.g., hiking, horseback riding, hunting and camping)

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I)retains a low level of contrast between developments and the natural surrounding; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

Roubideau Extensive Recreation Management Area

	Alternative A	Alternative B	Alternative C	Alternative D
Management Action	ns and Allowable Use Decisio	ns		
VRM Class			VRM Class III	
Implementation-lev	el Decisions			
Cooperative			Engage in community-based	
Management			partnerships with communities,	
			businesses and local governments	
			as well as partnerships with	
			nongovernment organizations	
			and volunteers	

SAN MIGUEL RIVER CORRIDOR EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

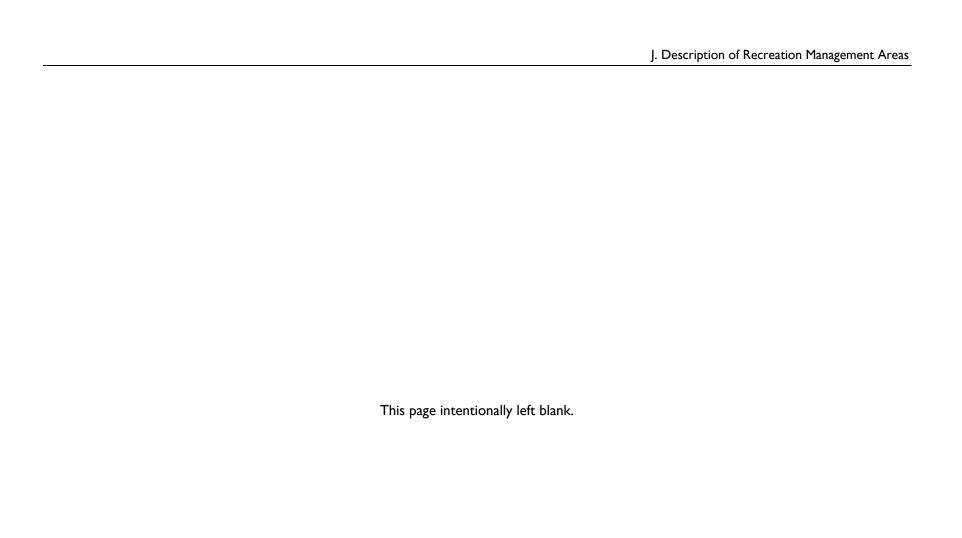
Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to provide a variety of established recreation activities (e.g., mountain biking, hiking, rafting, scenic touring, etc.).

The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I) retains a natural-appearing landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads, staging areas, camping, etc.) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.

SPRING CREEK EXTENSIVE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA

Objective: Focus recreation and visitor services on protecting and facilitating visitor opportunities to provide a variety of established recreation activities (e.g., OHV riding, mountain biking, hiking, hunting, camping, etc.).

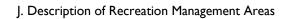
The area will provide a recreation setting commensurate with other uses that I) retains a natural-appearing landscape; 2) provides the necessary recreation facilities (trails, trailheads, staging areas, camping, etc.) to facilitate activity participation; 3) provides basic on-site visitor services (signage, maps, etc.) and 4) clearly posts conditions of use throughout the area.



RECREATION SETTING CHARACTERISTICS MATRIX

	Primitive Classification	Back Country Classification	Middle Country Classification	Front Country Classification	Rural Classification	Urban Classification
Physical Component – Qualities of the Landscape						
Remoteness (approx. distance from routes)	More than ½ mile from either mechanized or motorized routes.	Within ½ mile of mechanized routes.	Within ½ mile of four-wheel drive vehicle, ATV, and motorcycle routes.	Within ½ mile of low-clearance or passenger vehicle routes (including unpaved County roads and private land routes).	Within ½ mile of paved/primary roads and highways.	Within ½ mile of streets and roads within municipalities and along highways.
Naturalness (landscape texture, form, line, color)	Undisturbed natural landscape.	Natural landscape with any modifications in harmony with surrounds and not visually obvious or evident (e.g., stock ponds, trails)	Character of the natural landscape retained. A few modifications contrast with character of the landscape (e.g., fences, primitive roads).	Character of the natural landscape partially modified but none overpower natural landscape (e.g., roads, structures, utilities).	Character of the natural landscape considerably modified (agriculture, residential, or industrial).	Urbanized developments dominate landscape.
Facilities	No structures. Foot/horse and water trails only.	Developed trails made mostly of native materials such as log bridges. Structures are rare and isolated.	Maintained and marked trails, simple trailhead developments and basic toilets.	Rustic facilities such as campsites, restrooms, trailheads, and interpretive displays.	Modern facilities such as campgrounds, group shelters, boat launches, and occasional exhibits.	Elaborate full-service facilities such as laundries, restaurants, and groceries.
Social Component –	- Qualities Associated with Use					
Contacts (avg. with any other group)	Fewer than 3 encounters/day at camp sites and fewer than 6 encounters/day on travel routes.	3-6 encounters/day off travel routes (e.g., campsites) and 7-15 encounters/day on travel routes.	7-14 encounters/day off travel routes (e.g., staging areas) and 15-29 encounters/day on travel routes.	15-29 encounters/day off travel routes (e.g., campgrounds) and 30 or more encounters/day on travel routes.	People seem to be generally everywhere.	Busy place with other people constantly in view.
Group Size (average – other than your own)	Fewer than or equal to 3 people/group.	4-6 people/group.	7-12 people/group.	I3-25 people/group.	26-50 people/group.	Greater than 50 people/group.
Evidence of Use	No alterations of the natural terrain. Footprints only observed. Sounds of people rare.	Areas of alteration uncommon. Little surface vegetation wear observed. Sounds of people infrequent.	Small areas of alteration. Surface vegetation showing wear with some bare soils. Sounds of people occasionally heard.	Small areas of alteration prevalent. Surface vegetation gone with compacted soils observed. Sounds of people regularly heard.	A few large areas of alteration. Surface vegetation absent with hardened soils. Sounds of people frequently heard.	Large areas of alteration prevalent. Some erosion. Constantly hear people.
Operational Compo	nent – Conditions Created by Managem	ent and Controls over Recreation Use				
Access (type of travel allowed)	Foot, horse, and nonmotorized float boat travel.	Mountain bikes and perhaps other mechanized use, but all is nonmotorized.	Four-wheel drives, all-terrain vehicles, dirt bikes, or snowmobiles in addition to nonmotorized, mechanized use.	Two-wheel drive vehicles predominant, but also four-wheel drives and nonmotorized, mechanized use.	Ordinary highway auto and truck traffic is characteristic.	Wide variety of street vehicles and highway traffic is ever-present.
Visitor Services (and information)	No maps or brochures available onsite. Staff rarely present to provide on-site assistance.	Basic maps, staff infrequently present (e.g., seasonally, high use periods) to provide on-site assistance.	Area brochures and maps, staff occasionally (e.g., most weekends) present to provide on-site assistance.	Information materials describe recreation areas and activities, staff periodically present (e.g., weekdays and weekends).	Information described to the left, plus experience and benefit descriptions, staff regularly present (e.g., almost daily).	Information described to the left, plus regularly scheduled on-site outdoor demonstrations and clinics.
Management Controls	No on-site posting/signing of visitor regulations, interpretive information, or ethics. Few use restrictions.	Basic user regulations at key access points. Minimum use restrictions.	Some regulatory and ethics signing. Moderate use restrictions (e.g., camping, human waste).	Rules, regulations, and ethics clearly posted. Use restrictions, limitation, and/or closures.	Regulations strict and ethics prominent. Use may be limited by permit, reservation, etc.	Enforcement in addition to rules to reduce conflicts, hazards, and resource damage.

Source: IM No. 2011-004, Revised Recreation and Visitor Services Land Use Planning Guidance, Updated Checklist, and Three Land Use Planning Templates. Attachment 5, Recreation Setting Characteristics Matrix. BLM, Washington, DC. October 14, 2010.



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